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1. MFA'S CONSULAR DIVISION WAS CORRECT THAT HUNGARY IS NOT LEGALLY BOUND TO PROVIDE INFORMATION TO THE US REGARDING COUNTERFEITING. MFA WAS UNDOUBTEDLY REFERRING TO THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION AND PROTOCOL FOR THE SUPPRESSION OF COUNTERFEITING CURRENCY DONE AT GENEVA, APRIL 20, 1929. THIS ENTERED INTO FORCE ON FEBRUARY 22, 1931. HUNGARY DEPOSITED ITS RATIFICATION ON JUNE 14, 1933. THE US SIGNED BUT NEVER RATIFIED THE CONVENTION AND THUS IS NOT A PARTY TO IT.

2. YOU MAY INFORM MFA THAT THE DEPARTMENT AND THE UNITED STATES SECRET SERVICE, WHICH IS CHARGED WITH PROTECTING

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THE INTEGRITY OF US CURRENCY, GREATLY APPRECIATE THE

INFORMATION FURNISHED BY THE MINISTRY AND BY OTHER
HUNGARIAN AUTHORITIES IN THE TWO NOTES DATED MARCH 24
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